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FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 5862

AMCONSUL RECIFE IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: N/A TAGS: PINS, BR

SUBJECT: DETENTION OF AMERICAN CITIZEN MORRIS

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- 1. UPON RECEIPT OF TELEPHONIC COMMUNICATION ON EVENING OF OCT. 2 FROM CONSUL RECIFE THAT HE HAD BEEN DENIED ACCESS TO AMCIT MORRIS BY FOURTH ARMY G-2, EMBOFF CALLED MINISTER SOUTOMAIOR, CHIEF OF CABINET OF THE FOREIGN MINISTER, EXPLAINED CIRCUMTANCES AND REQUESTED APPOINTMENT.
- 2. CHIEF OF CABINET RECEIVED EMBOFF AT OPENING OF BUSINESS AT FOREIGN MINISTRY OCT. 3. SHORTLY THEREAFTER CHIEF OF CABINET CALLED EMBOFF TO SAY THAT FOREIGN MINISTER HAD SPOKEN PERSONALLY TO "THE ARMY" AND HAD BEEN INFORMED THAT ORDERS HAD BEEN ISSUED YESTERDAY EVENING PERMITTING CONSUL ACCESS TO THE PRISONER (AS OF 6:00 P.M. OCT 2 CONSUL RECIFE WAS STILL BEING DENIED ACCESS.) ARMY STATED TO FOREIGN MINISTER THAT THEY WOULD LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CHECK IMMEDIATELY TO DETERMINE WHETHER CONSUL

HAD BEEN INFORMED AND IN FACT HAD BEEN GRANTED ACCESS.

3. CONSUL RECIFE CALLED EMBASSY AT 2:00 P.M.
TO INFORM THAT HE HAD JUST RETURNED FROM CALL ON
CHIEF OF STAFF OF FOURTH ARMY AND HAD BEEN INFORMED
THAT NO SUCH ORDER GRANTING ACCESS HAD BEEN
RECEIVED IN THAT HEADQUARTERS. EMBASSY PLANS TO
FOLLOW UP WITH MINISTER SOUTOMAIOR IMMEDIATELY.
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